

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

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Project Title and No.: County of San Luis Obispo Ag. Preserves General Plan Amendments, LRP2015-00011, ED15-282 Project Location(Specific address): See attached list (5 separate locations) Project Applicant/Phone No./Email: See attached list / / Applicant Address (Street, City, State, Zip): San Luis Obispo Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project A request by the County of San Luis Obispo to amend the Land Use Element land use categories from Rural Lands to Agriculture and Open Space and amend the Conservation and Open Space Element land use designations from Large Lot Rural to Agriculture (Land Under Conservation Contract) for properties recently put into agricultural preserves. The purpose of the request is to bring properties that do not currently have Agriculture or Open Space as a land use category within the Land Use Element, and properties that do not currently have Agriculture (Conservation Contract) as a land use designation within the Conservation and Open Space Element into conformance with the Rules of Procedure to Implement the Land Conservation Act of 1965 (Williamson Act) by changing the categories and designations to Agriculture or Open Space. Name of Public Agency Approving Project: County of San Luis Obispo Exempt Status: (Check One) Ministerial {Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268} Declared Emergency {Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(a)} Emergency Project {Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c)} Categorical Exemption {Sec; Class:}} Statutory Exemption {Sec; Class:}} General Rule Exemption. {Sec. 5061(b)(3)}
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Reasons why project is exempt: The proposed amendments will change less (or equally restrictive) land use categories & open space designations to more (or equally restrictive) land use categories & open space designations and will therefore not result in potential increases in physical effects on the environment. The proposed amendments will simply bring recently approved agricultural preserves into compliance with the Williamson Act provision that requires agricultural preserves to be under restrictive (protective) zoning.
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If filed by applicant: 1. Attach certified document of exemption finding 2. Has a notice of exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes
Signature Still Full Date May 18, 2016
Name (Print) <u>Stephanie Fuhs</u> Title <u>Planner III</u>
On the project was Approved by:
☐ Board of Supervisors ☐ Subdivision Review Board ☐ Other ☐ Planning Commission ☐ Planning Dept Hearing
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